

Date of Meeting: 2020 02 04

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REPORT TO:	☐ Administrative Council☐ Policy Working Committe☐ Board	ee □ Planning and □ Other:	School Services Advisory Committee d Priorities Advisory Committee
	For Board Meetings:	PUBLIC	☐ IN-CAMERA
TITLE OF REPORT:	Operational Plan Update: Communication		
PRESENTED BY: (list ONLY those attending the meeting)	Paul Sydor – Superintendent of Student Achievement Cathy Lynd – Superintendent of Business Services Rose Anne Kuiper – Superintendent of Student Achievement Bruce Nielsen - System Principal, Learning Support Services Tania Testa – Manager, Communications Carolyn Glaser – Manager, Information Technology Services Philippe Venesoen – Research and Assessment Assistant		
PRESENTED FOR:	☐ Approval	☑ Input/Advice	☐ Information
Recommendation(s):			
(only required when			
presented for approval)			
Purpose:	To share the Operational Plan Update on Communication with the Program and School Services Advisory Committee.		
Content:			
Financial Implications:			
Timeline:			
Communications:			
Appendices:	Operational Plan Update: Com	munication	
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Strategic Priority Area(s):			
	☑ Students, families and staff are wel		
Relationships:	and the broader community.	oster mutually respectful	communication among students, families, staff
	 ☑ Create opportunities for collaboration 	on and partnerships.	
Equity and Diversity:	□ Create opportunities for equitable a		services for students.
	☐ Students and all partners feel heard	d, valued and supported.	
	☐ Programs and services embrace th		•
Achievement and Well-		and achieve student lea	rning outcomes with a specific focus on
Being:	numeracy and literacy.	instructional practices	
· ·9·	☐ Staff will demonstrate excellence in☑ Enhance the safety and well-being		
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Form Revised January 2020



Operational Plan Update COMMUNICATION

Program and School Services Advisory Committee Meeting February 4, 2020

Strategic Priorities, 2018-2021

ACHIEVEMENT AND WELL-BEING

We engage in innovative learning experiences that promote excellence in student achievement and well-being.

EQUITY AND DIVERSITY

We provide an equitable and inclusive environment that champions learning opportunities for all.

RELATIONSHIPS

We build positive relationships with all members of our education community to foster an engaged and inclusive board culture.

Enhance two-way communication and improve engagement within our Thames Valley community

Targeted Outcomes:

Increase parent/guardian response rate on Family Climate Survey

Increase School Council membership

Increase followership for school and board social media channels and websites

Increase Parent Portal access and interaction



Communication

Goal One:

To increase student, family and community engagement

Goal Two:

To support two-way communication and provide excellent service

Goal One: To increase student, family and community engagement

Engagement opportunities for learning, networking, collaboration and connection

Build capacity, relationships, share success and collect feedback through ongoing interactions while increasing partnership in student achievement and wellbeing

Increase membership on School Councils

Greater involvement for parents/guardians to inform and support school initiatives which promote student achievement and well-being

Administer Family Climate Survey

Evidence that families are engaged and see themselves as partners in their child's education

Goal One: To increase student, family and community engagement

Increase subscribers and followership for school websites and social media channels

Keeping families informed in a timely manner about their child's education and school community

Access to Parent/Guardian Portal

Increase parent/guardian use of one streamlined location for information related to student achievement, accessibility and safety

Goal Two: To support two-way communication and provide excellent service

Deploy Unified Communication System

A unified communications platform for staff, students and families across TVDSB to enhance communication, privacy, safety and collaboration

Increase adoption of two-way classroom communication

Singular communication tool enabling two-way communication between families and schools, focused on the classroom

Goal Two: To support two-way communication and provide excellent service

Increase adoption of Brightspace

Connecting families to student achievement and learning

Provide Service Excellence training to all staff

Staff provide inclusive, respectful and responsive service practices

Increase use of service management tools

Improve access to TVDSB supports and services

Thank you